Alleged Tire Thieves Taken When Watchman Says They Plotted With Him

DETECTIVE ALSO ACCUSED

The police of the Tenth and Buttonwood streets station last night foiled a plot to steal \$10,000 worth of automobile tires from the Keystone Tire Co .. 1810 Callowhill street, and later becovered \$200,000 worth of loot in a warehouse of the alleged robbers on

Water street above Market. The loot was said to include part of \$30,000 worth of tires stolen. May 19, from the Keystone Co.

Four men were arrested in connection with last night's attempted rob-

According to the police. William Brown, of Percy street near Callow-hill, a watchman for the tire concern. told Lieutenant Walsh, of the Tenth and Buttonwood streets station, it was planned to rob the Keytsone store a second time last night.

Lieutenant Walsh and eleven detec-

ered a motortruck in front, loaded with minety-five tires.

Charles Solomon, of Carpenter street near Fifth, and Sidney Kaplan.

of Sixth and Tasker streets, were arrested, charged with robbery. The de-tectives also arrested Brown, who told them he had been given \$500 by the robbers when they arranged that he should be tied to a chair and struck over the head, so it would appear he had resisted the robbers. rested, charged with robbery. The de-

Patrick Kelly, of Windsor square detective for the American Railway Co., was arrested, charged with con-spiracy to commit robbery when Brown at first attempted to fix responsibility for the robbery on him. Kelly was later released on a copy of the charge. He denied all knowledge of the rob-bery, and Lieutenant Walsh believes he was not involved.

The police say the robbery plan was

conceived several weeks ago.

Solomon and Kaplan are sileged to have confessed their plan. They said Brown had agreed to go through with the plan of gagging and binding him. but at the last minute lost his nerve. They gave the address of the ware house on Water street where silks, cloth and automobile tires and parts

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Engineers Will Present It to Commission June 9

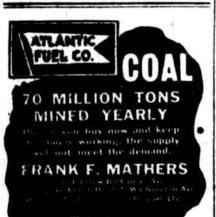
The Board of Engineers of the Dela-ware River Bridge Commission has fin-ished its report, which will be submitted at the next session of the Commission, June 9. Six concerns have been invited to submit bids for printing the report

book form.

It will contain recommendations as to the size, location, type and other de-tails for the proposed bridge, and in-cludes a number of plans, sketches and diagrams, together with important sta-tistics and data.

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